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SUBJECT: MAJOR PROJECT: DESALTING TRAINS (SIC) FOR SAG
MINISTRY OF DEFENSE AND AVIATION

1. US CORPS OF ENGINEERS HAVE SENT MESSAGE TO WASHINGTON HQRTS TO SUBMIT ADVERTISEMENT IN COMMERCE BUSINESS DAILY FOR CONSTRUCTION OF TWO 670,000 GALLONS PER DAY DESALTING PLANTS. INTERESTED FIRMS ARE TO SUBMIT PREQUALIFICATION TO MEDITERRANEAN DIVISION, US CORPS OF ENGINEERS OIC LIAISON DETACHMENT, USAED MEDITERRANEAN, 26 FEDERAL PLAZA, NEW YORK, N.Y. 10007. FIRMS ARE TO SUBMIT NLT 14 DAYS AFTER PUBLICATION IN CBD, ENGINEERING FORM 3627 AND RELATED DATA SHOWING CURRENT CAPABILITY AND FINANCIAL RESOURCES. CONTRACTORS THAT HAVE PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED FORMS TO COE SHOULD REPLY SIGNIFYING INTEREST IN PROJECT.

2. SCOPE OF PROJECT: FURNISH AND INSTALL NEAR JIDDA, SAUDI ARABIA TWO 670,000 GALLON/DAY DEALTING TRAINS (SIC) WITH SUPPORT FACILITIES FOR SAG MODA AS PART OF SAUDI NAVAL EXPANISON PROGRAM. SUPPORT FACILITIES INCLUDE BOILER PLANT, ADMINISTRATION BLDG, SEAWATER PUMPING STATION, OTHER BUILDINGS PLUS ACCESS ROADS AND NECESSARY MECHANICAL AND ELECTRICAL UTILITIES.

3. ESTIMATE COST: IN EXCESS OF \$25 MILLION. CONTRACT TO BE AWARDED ON FIXED PRICE BASIS.

4. CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE: REQUESTS FOR PROPOSALS
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SCHEDULED FOR MAY 1976, SUBMISSION OF BIDS SCHEDULED FOR

SEPTEMBER 1976, AWARD OCTOBER 1976 AND COMPLETION FOR MARCH, 1980.

5. TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS: PRIOR EXPERIENCE IN CONSTRUCTION AND INSTALLATION OF DESALTING PLANTS AND DEMONSTRATE PRIOR RECORD OF TIMELY AND QUALITY CONSTRUCTION IN AREAS WHERE INDUSTRIAL BASE IS LIMITED AND TRANSPORTATION DIFFICULT.

6. SPECIAL QUALIFICATIONS: QUALIFIED CONTRACTORS WILL BE REQUIRED SHOW MANAGEMENT CAPABILITY TO HANDLE COMPLEX LOGISTICAL PROBLEMS, DIFFICULT CLIMATE CONDITIONS AND FOREIGN LABOR--AND SHOW FINANCIAL RESOURCES TO HANDLE PLACEMENT IN TIME FRAME ALLOTTED FOR WORK. ALL CONTRACTORS MUST BE PREQUALIFIED IN ORDER RECEIVE REQUESTS FOR PROPOSALS.
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